

Federal Defenders  
OF NEW YORK, INC.

Southern District  
52 Duane Street, 10th Floor  
New York, NY 10007  
Tel: (212) 417-8700 Fax: (212) 571-0392

Tamara Giwa  
Executive Director

Jennifer L. Brown  
Attorney-in-Charge

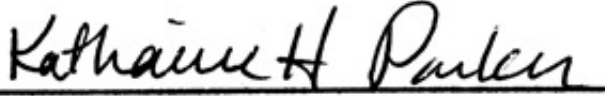
December 17, 2024

**BY ECF**

Duty Magistrate Judge  
Southern District of New York  
United States Courthouse  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, New York 10007

Re: **United States v. Jose Mena, Jr.**  
**24-MAG-4151 (UA)**

**APPLICATION GRANTED**

  
**Hon. Katharine H. Parker, U.S.M.J.**

12/18/2024

Dear Duty Magistrate:

Jose Mena, through undersigned counsel, respectfully moves the Court for an order granting him permission to spend Christmas Day and New Year's Day with his family at his aunt's home in Yonkers, New York. Specifically, Mr. Mena requests permission to be at his aunt's home between the hours of 3pm and 10pm on December 25, 2024 and on January 1, 2025. Currently, Mr. Mena is on home detention.

Undersigned counsel has conferred with both pretrial services and the government about this request. Pretrial services has a policy to object to any such requests for individuals on home detention, but notes that Mr. Mena has been in compliance with the terms of his supervision. The government, on the other hand, has no objection to the request. Accordingly, Mr. Mena asks the Court to grant him permission to spend Christmas Day and New Year's Day at his aunt's home between the hours of 3pm and 10pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

/s/

Kristoff I. Williams  
Assistant Federal Defender  
Federal Defenders of New York  
(212) 417-8791